

Message Text

LIMITED OFFICIAL USE

PAGE 01 SANA 03000 281506Z

53

ACTION SY-05

INFO OCT-01 NEA-10 ISO-00 /016 W
----- 031648

R 281350Z OCT 75
FM AMEMBASSY SANA
TO SECSTATE WASHDC 6625

LIMITED OFFICIAL USE SANA 3000

DEPT FOR A/SY/FO

EO 11652: N/A
TAGS: ASEC, MILI
SUBJ: SANA MARINES

1. DURING RECENT VISIT BY RMO TO SANA ADVISABILITY FROM A SECURITY STANDPOINT OF RAPIDLY CONVERTING PRESENT TDY (CONSEC) DETACHMENT TO A PERMANENT UNIT TO FULLY PROTECT THE CHANCERY ETC WAS DISCUSSED.
 2. SINCE THIS VISIT, POST HAS LEAIVAD THAT CONSTRUCTION ON THIRD FLOOR CHANCERY (CONSEC SITE) WILL PROBABLY NOW BE STRETCHED BY CONTRACTOR TO AS FAR AS FEBRUARY 1976.
 - DA3. IT IS HIGHLY INADVISABLE, FROM A DEFENSIVE SECURITY POINT OF VIEW, TO LEAVE CHANCERY "UNCOVERED" THIS LONG (PRESENT CONSEC POST CANNOT COVER ENTRANCE TO CHANCERY), ESPECIALLY IN CRGHT OF CURRENT POPULARITY OF TERRORIST "WALK-IN" THROUGHOUT THE WORLD.
 4. POST THEREFORE STRONGLY RECOMMENDS FORMAL PCS ACTIVATION PERMANENT DETACHMENT ON OR ABOUT 1 DECEMBER 1975. CONSTRUCTION OF MSG POST AND OTHER ESSENTIAL GROUND FLOOR PHYSICAL BARRIERS IN CHANCERY SHOULD BE COMPLETED BY THE END OF NOVEMBER.
 5. CONCURRENT WITH ACTIVATION OF THE DETACHMENT WILL BE NEED FOR TDY ASSIGNMENT THREE ADDITIONAL WATCHSTANDERS TO CONTINUE CONSEC DUTIES ON THIRD FLOOR CHANCERY ROOF. DUE TO PHYSICAL MAKE-UP OF THE CHANCERY BUILDING, IT IS
- LIMITED OFFICIAL USE

LIMITED OFFICIAL USE

PAGE 02 SANA 03000 281506Z

IMPOSSIBLE BME A WATCHSTANDER TO COVER CONSEC SITE FROM PROPOSED

CHANCERY POST #1.

6. TDY CONSEC MARINES CAN BE ADQUATELY BILLETED IN IN
OFFICER'S HOUSE AS LATTER WILL BE ON HOME LEAVE DECEMBER
TO MID FESJUARY AT WHICH TIME CONSLRUCTION SHOULD BEXKOMPLETE.

7. AS DISCUSSED DURING RMO VISIT, VERY CAREFUL SCREENIKG
OF THE HERMANENT NCOIC STILL HIGHLY NECESSARY EVEN IF
THIS RESULTS IN SOME DELAY ITSARRIVAL. RMO BEIRUT FULLY, AWARE
OF OPTIMUM SELECTION CRITERIA.

8. DUE TO BEIRUT MINIMIZE, RMO AND RSS NOT AWARE THIS TELEGRAM.
SCOTES

LIMITED OFFICIAL USE

NNN

Message Attributes

Automatic Decaptioning: X
Capture Date: 01 JAN 1994
Channel Indicators: n/a
Current Classification: UNCLASSIFIED
Concepts: n/a
Control Number: n/a
Copy: SINGLE
Draft Date: 28 OCT 1975
Decaption Date: 01 JAN 1960
Decaption Note:
Disposition Action: RELEASED
Disposition Approved on Date:
Disposition Authority: CunninFX
Disposition Case Number: n/a
Disposition Comment: 25 YEAR REVIEW
Disposition Date: 28 MAY 2004
Disposition Event:
Disposition History: n/a
Disposition Reason:
Disposition Remarks:
Document Number: 1975SANA03000
Document Source: CORE
Document Unique ID: 00
Drafter: n/a
Enclosure: n/a
Executive Order: N/A
Errors: N/A
Film Number: D750373-0734
From: SANA
Handling Restrictions: n/a
Image Path:
ISecure: 1
Legacy Key: link1975/newtext/t19751014/aaaaalzl.tel
Line Count: 74
Locator: TEXT ON-LINE, ON MICROFILM
Office: ACTION SY
Original Classification: LIMITED OFFICIAL USE
Original Handling Restrictions: n/a
Original Previous Classification: n/a
Original Previous Handling Restrictions: n/a
Page Count: 2
Previous Channel Indicators: n/a
Previous Classification: LIMITED OFFICIAL USE
Previous Handling Restrictions: n/a
Reference: n/a
Review Action: RELEASED, APPROVED
Review Authority: CunninFX
Review Comment: n/a
Review Content Flags:
Review Date: 15 AUG 2003
Review Event:
Review Exemptions: n/a
Review History: RELEASED <15 AUG 2003 by CunninFX>; APPROVED <02 DEC 2003 by CunninFX>
Review Markings:

Margaret P. Grafeld
Declassified/Released
US Department of State
EO Systematic Review
06 JUL 2006

Review Media Identifier:
Review Referrals: n/a
Review Release Date: n/a
Review Release Event: n/a
Review Transfer Date:
Review Withdrawn Fields: n/a
Secure: OPEN
Status: NATIVE
Subject: I: SANA MARINES
TAGS: ASEC, MILI
To: STATE
Type: TE
Markings: Margaret P. Grafeld Declassified/Released US Department of State EO Systematic Review 06 JUL 2006